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## A CORDIAL INVITATION

JUST THINK! The Junior Prom is only one week hence! A good time is assured for both the aged and the young. So get your plans laid in such a way that it will be possible for you to spend a most delightful evening with us. The J. Hop is a feature which is looked forward to with eagerness, by the Junior and Senior Classes. Your presence will manifest your interest, in that which makes High School life worth while for them. Also, remember the slogan, "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy." Then come to the High School Gym. and dance to that peppy, Florida Pelican, Jazz Orchestra.

Juniors.

## CROWDS VISIT ALFALFA TRAIN

The alfalfa train being operated over the Michigan Central Railroad in cooperation with the Michigan State College, has had a very successful week according to O. B. Price, Agricultural Agent for the railroad.

Starting at Laingsburg in Shiawassee county on Monday, April 4th, it has been holding two meetings a day. During the week other stops were made at Owosso, Cheaning, Oxford, Lapeer, Millington, Vassar, Caro, Bay City, Midland, Sterling, and Standish. The attendance has averaged 170 per stop with Chesaning holding the record for the highest attendance with 330.

At each stop samples of soil were brought in and tested for lime requirement by F. W. Trull from the soils department of the Michigan State College. Soil for testing was distributed at each stop and a total of 250 tubes were put into the hands of farmers. 360 bottles of inoculation for alfalfa and sweet clover were disposed of which indicates that many farmers are planning to increase their alfalfa and sweet clover acreage or begin growing this valuable crop.

Mr. L. D. Kurtz of the Michigan State College who talks on alfalfa growing, emphasizes four important points in the successful growing of this crop. The first of these is a good seed bed, the second, a "sweet soil," third, inoculation, and fourth, adapted seed of known origin. He also advises the use of fertilizer for more economical growing of these crops.

J. G. Hayes, connected with the Michigan State College, discussed the value of alfalfa and sweet clover as a feed. He showed by exhibits how to feed dairy cows properly using concentrates—alfalfa and roughage. He explained that when alfalfa was used the grain mixture costs much less than when mixed hay or timothy hay was used.

The big white car was loaded with exhibits. One featuring alfalfa as a soil builder pointed out that when alfalfa was grown and returned to the soil the nitrogen worth 10.59 per ton of hay was added.

Exhibits of potatoes, sugar beets with pictures and charts showed the value of this crop in the rotation. Hay making methods were illustrated by an endless belt on which the various operations were shown by pictures. The actual samples of hay properly and poorly cured were on exhibit. The fine green hay with all leaves retained was a big contrast to that which had lost all the leaves and color by too quick curing and burning. Mr. Kurtz stated that 26 counties of the state were planning to hold a hay day this summer to demonstrate proper methods of curing.

Other exhibits showed samples of liming materials and fertilizers. This week the train is on the Mackinaw division and will stop at Pictured Rocks, Gladwin, Grayling, West Branch, Johnsonburg, Gaylord, Vandalia, Wolverine, Cheboygan. It will return to Saginaw Saturday morning on its way back to Lansing. The farmers who visited the train

## PROCLAMATION CLEAN-UP

Know all men, women and children by these presents:

That, whereas the National Clean Up Campaign has resulted in many advantages to community life throughout the U. S.

In safeguarding Health; In promoting Thrift; In furthering Fire Prevention; In stimulating Civic Pride; In making the Home and City beautiful;

Now, therefore, be it known that plans have been perfected for a thorough Clean Up Campaign in Grayling.

In this worthy movement of cleaning, painting, planting, repairing and general rehabilitation and beautification, we urge each citizen to do his or her part to make our community clean, healthy, thrifty, safe and beautiful.

All yards should be cleaned up not later than Thursday, April 28th, and all rubbish, etc., if placed on the street in front of your premises not later than April 27th, will be moved, free of charge, by the street department.

H. PETERSEN, Village President.

should be thankful for the opportunity of having taken advantage of this educational movement by the Michigan Central Railroad and the Michigan State College.

Supervisor Geo. Annis was awarded the half bushel of choice alfalfa seed that was given by Grayling Board of Trade. We are sure Mr. Annis will make good use of it.

At noon most of the visiting farmers enjoyed a complimentary dinner given by the Board of Trade. This was given at Shoppagan Inn and was a very excellent dinner and greatly enjoyed. About fifty were present.

While cigars were being smoked by the men, President W. W. Lewis of the Board of Trade greeted the honored guests on behalf of their hosts and extended a hearty welcome.

Talks were given at that time by Mr. Miller of the M. S. C., Lansing and by E. J. Leenhouts of the agricultural division of the New York Central Lines. Mr. Miller's theme was "Alfalfa," and he gave out much valuable information relative to its production and its value to livestock and the fertility of the soil. His talk was very inspiring and livened by a number of amusing stories. Mr. Leenhout's talk was, as he announced, more inspirational than informative. He commended the splendid cooperation and warm feeling that exists between the business men of Grayling and the farmers.

It was a very profitable and interesting day. The children of the high school visited the alfalfa train and took many notes preparatory to reports that were to be expected from them.

## DIRECTOR YOUNG COMING MONDAY

WILL HOLD MEETING TO DISCUSS FLY AND BAIT FISHING

Sportsmen of Crawford county and others who may be interested in trout stream regulations, are asked to attend a meeting to be held at the Court House in Grayling next Monday evening, April 18th at 8 o'clock. At that time Commissioner Leigh J. Young of the State Department of Conservation will be present.

The purpose of the meeting, according to Secretary Hogarth of the department, will be for the purpose of ascertaining the wishes of the local people as to the bait regulations affecting the streams of this county.

At the present time there are many streams closed to all fishing and used for nursery streams where trout are planted and given protection, thus enabling them to better grow and develop.

## CLEAN-UP-WEEK

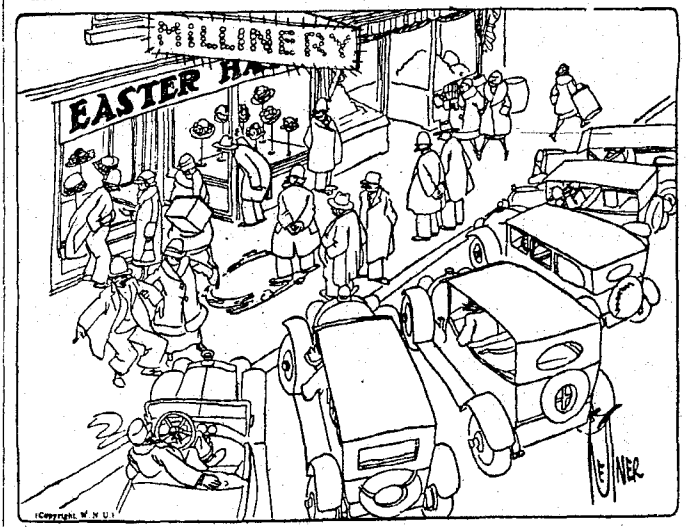
A Proclamation Each year there is set aside a week which is designated by the Governor as Clean-Up-Week.

Statistics from the records of the State Fire Marshal shows that seventy-five per cent of the fires are due to carelessness. Last year there was a property loss of \$17,538,503.26 accounting for 18,309 fires. There were 73 schools, 70 churches, 23 hospitals, 28 theaters, 137 hotels and two children's homes damaged by fire and in addition there were 839 fatalities.

I hope our people will observe Clean-Up-Week by removing all rubbish and inflammable material from dangerous proximity to all buildings. Local authorities are urged to give special attention to fire regulations and where necessary, install additional fire fighting apparatus; cause fire drills to be conducted in all public and private institutions, factories and schools and ask teachers to instruct their pupils in the work of fire prevention.

The people of Michigan have to pay this tremendous fire loss of \$17,538,503.26. By their earnest cooperation the citizens of this state can obtain

## Easter Week



velop. The principal streams are open for either fly or bait fishing or both, except the North and South branches. These latter are now strictly fly fishing streams. Many feel that they should be under the same regulation as the other streams.

That is the matter that will be discussed next Monday evening. Those having any interest in the matter are asked to be present at the appointed time. This is our time to say what we want. Those who attend will be privileged to speak their piece. Those who fail to attend must take what ever legislation is doled out. So make it a point to be present.

This will be the first meeting in Grayling under direction of our new director, who, it is well known, is the successor of John Baird. You will want to meet Mr. Young, and this is a fine opportunity to do so. And James Oliver Curwood has promised to be present, too.

Come to the meeting and bring along some of your friends and meet these gentlemen and partake in the discussions.

## THE CURFEW BELL

A great many have been wondering why we have changed the time for ringing the curfew bell. Well, that is simply in accordance with a resolution which was passed years ago, regulating its ringing—six winter months at 7:45 and six summer months at 8:45, giving children 15 minutes in which to get home. This means all children under 15 years of age.

I have already had the pleasure of being criticized for allowing children on the street after the named hour, and will therefore ask the assistance of the sheriff, his deputies, our village officials and also parents who have children under 15 years old, in observing this law.

HANS PETERSEN, Village President.

far-reaching results along fire prevention lines. I urge most earnestly that everything possible be done to minimize the danger of fire, lessen fire hazards of every kind and reduce the loss of life and property throughout this state. I recommend the installation of sprinkler systems wherever possible.

I hereby proclaim May 16 to 21, 1927 as Clean-Up-Week. Given under my hand at the Capitol in Lansing, this sixteenth day of March, 1927.

Fred W. Green, Governor.

The Department of Health heartily endorses Clean-Up-Week, not alone on account of the tremendous losses to the state caused by unnecessary fires, but also because clean houses and clean yards inevitably result in a higher degree of personal cleanliness which has such a beneficial effect upon health.

Peace, content and happiness are intimately associated with good health. They are difficult of attainment in the face of unclean, unsightly surroundings. Remove the dirt and accumulation of winter's refuse and you will improve your health.

Guy L. Kiefer, Commissioner.

EDITORS PLAN HOUGHTON LAKE OUTING

Len W. Feighner, field director of the Michigan Press Association and Hiram Johnson, the president, were at Houghton Lake, April 9 and 10, to discuss plans and accommodations for the forthcoming annual outing of the newspaper men at Houghton Lake early in June. They were met by Paul MacDonald of Gaylord, D. E. Matheson of Roscommon, O. P. Schumann of Grayling, Frank R. Johnson of Houghton Lake Forest, Pruden-

ville, and other hotel men and resort owners on the southern shore of Houghton Lake.

Business men and resort owners at Prudenville, Houghton Lake and Houghton Heights are preparing to give the visiting editors and their wives a big time in June. Plans are as yet in an embryonic state, the committee says, and will be announced from time to time.

CHEBOYGAN EDITOR ELECTED MAYOR

Al H. Weber, editor of the Cheboygan Democrat, was elected mayor of that city at the April 4th election. Mr. Weber has always taken a live interest in the city's affairs and we know will give it an honest and efficient administration. Although the name Democrat might indicate Jeffersonian ideas, such is not the case for Mr. Weber is a Republican in principle and was elected on the Republican ticket. We feel certain the people of the city have made a good choice in his election and also Mr. Weber is to be congratulated upon the high honor he has been accorded by his fellow citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burke. Mr. and Mrs. E. Huffmaster.

## B. M. T.

SUCCESSORS TO T. N. T.

A blithe heart makes a blooming visage.—Irish.

Miss Supernau—"Why does Mussolini wear clocked hose?" Paul H.—"Because he's the man of the hour."

The French banquet has been postponed until after the Prom.

A man's conversation is a mirror of his thoughts.

The more you study the more you know, the more you know the more you forget, the more you forget the less you know, so why study?

The less you study the less you know, the less you know the less you forget, the less you forget the more you know, so why study?

All students spent the first of the week reviewing for quarterly exams, which were written on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Edward—"Hullo Jule, are you using your lawnmower this afternoon?" Julian—"Yes, I'm afraid I am."

Ed—"Splendid! Then you won't be wanting your tennis racket—I've broken mine."

A man is valued according to his own estimate of himself.

The Juniors are busy making decorations for the Prom.

Shirley—"I have a rare old victrola. It was once in the possession of George Washington."

Ella—"But there were no such things as victrolas in Washington's time."

Shirley—"I know. That's what makes it so rare."

Life is not so short but that there is always time for courtesy.

The Queen Esther girls held a sandwich sale Friday morning, and evidently most of the students forgot to eat their breakfast as the sandwiches went like lightning.

Miss Cottle—"Heat expands things and cold contracts them. Can anyone give me an example?"

Billy L.—"Yes, ma'am. The days are longer in the summer."

A father is a treasure, a brother a comfort; but a friend is both.

During spring vacation the school house was thoroughly cleaned and it certainly aids its appearance.

Ambition

The Freshman—"To get out of high school with the highest honors at the end of four years and go out in the great, big world to make an overwhelming success in my chosen field of endeavor."

The Sophomore—"To get out of high school creditably at the end of three years and go out in the world to make a lot of money."

The Junior—"To get out of high school by hook or crook at the end of two years and earn a living some day."

It's a good thing to be rich and a good thing to be strong, but it is better to be beloved by many friends.—Euripides.

"I want this ad put in the paper," said Lacey, who is Scotch. "That will be one dollar," answered the printer.

Lacey—"Leave it out then—but why all the howling about the freedom of the press?"

Nicknames of Famous H. S. Students Ethel—Tato bug. Ada—Kitty. George—Ticklish. Shirley—Sam. Ina—Tiny. Henry—4 inches. Karl Sherman—Half-pint. Mary E—Mel. Helen—Lolly. Myrtle—Myrie. Sarah—Sally. Billy L.—Pug. Lawrence K.—Dutch. Ella—El. Margrethe—Peg.

Pauline Schoonover had the misfortune to injure her finger while making lanterns for the Junior Prom.

Judging from the growing reports which come out of the big league baseball camps in the South there won't be enough pennants to go around this year.

## BETTER HOMES WEEK

May 2-3-4

I. O. O. F. Temple

## CIVIC LEAGUE TO BE ORGANIZED

For some time there has been a growing sentiment of a need for a Civic League in Grayling.

On April first Pres. Lewis of the Board of Trade called a meeting composed of representatives from the Board of Trade and both the literary clubs to confer together on the best way to put this question before the public.

Mr. Charles McNamara was appointed general chairman and he selected a committee composed of Mr. Burnham, Mrs. Kraus and Mrs. Alexander.

At a meeting of this committee Tuesday night it was planned to hold a mass meeting to arouse an interest in the appearance of our town. To be a success it must mean the hearty cooperation of all our citizens to organize a league that will work well together, and one that will be free from any political or party affiliations.

Our roads are good, and each year brings more tourists to partake of our fine air and pure water and our fishing, and we should try and make our village attractive; at least the highways through which they pass. To do this everyone should take an individual pride in the appearance of his own surroundings and create the impression of a neat orderly place in which to live.

Civic League Committee.

## NEW APPARATUS FOR FIGHTING FOREST FIRES

The state conservation department has installed two trucks equipped with apparatus for fighting forest fires. One of these trucks is in the Upper Peninsula and the other in northern Michigan, with headquarters at Gaylord.

The latter passed through Grayling last Friday afternoon and stopped long enough to give a demonstration at the fish hatchery. The fire truck is equipped with a rotary gasoline engine for pumping water and 1,000 feet of hose. It showed a pressure of 90 pounds and was able to throw a stream 100 feet. The intake may be placed wherever water is to be found. Besides, the truck contains two 90 gallon water tanks, and also six 15-gallon hand tanks with force pumps which may be used for grass or other small fires. These throw a heavy spray and proved very effective in demonstration. Other equipment consisted of a plow, dozen shovels and rakes, axes, saws, etc.

The truck was in charge of Chief Forest Fire Warden Charles Peterson of Wolverine. He predicts that the outfit should prove very effective in fire fighting and believes it will be the means of greatly reducing the losses from forest fires.

## CRAWFORD CO. AMONG FIRST TO FILE DELINQUENT TAX RETURNS

Auditor General O. B. Fuller says in a letter to County Treasurer Wm. Ferguson: "We appreciate receiving the transcripts of the delinquent returns promptly, and I thank you for your promptness in the matter." The letter also states that Crawford county is among the first ten counties in the state to forward the delinquent returns this year.

## GRANGERS NOTICE

All Grangers are hereby notified to meet at Legion Hall, Grayling, Saturday afternoon, April 16th, at 2:30 o'clock.

Excavators two thousand years hence, digging into American cities will probably come across a lot of queer things in the cellars.

## Health News

SOMETHING DIFFERENT AND RATHER EXCLUSIVE

Grayling is pretty well acquainted with baby clinics by this time so now it is going to have something different.

Thursday and Friday afternoons, April 21st and 22nd, we are going to have baby clinics, but this time we are going to be very exclusive about it, and admit only those little folks who are going to enter school next fall for the first time.

Everyone is helping to make this a success as it is felt that it is such a worth-while event. Members of the Good Fellowship club and the Woman's club are canvassing the town and will help during the clinic, the doctors are going to give us their valuable service, and the church is going to let us use its basement rooms. After the clinics are over the nurse is going to make a visit to each home to help the parents with their problems and to help them understand the doctor's advice.

We hope these clinics will be held each year, so that each school child will have had an examination and offered every possible chance to enter school properly prepared with perfect physical health.

So remember the pre-school Children's Clinic, April 21st and 22nd, from one to five o'clock in the basement of the Michelson Memorial church.

Notes

Miss Winchell reports a fine new baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clare Johnson of the south side, April 7th. Miss Winchell assisted the doctor and was honored by the parents who named the new Miss after her—Doris.

Mr. and Mrs. Bader of Frederic brought their daughter, Miss Lena to Mercy hospital where her tonsils were removed Tuesday morning. Also Mrs. Bader is very well pleased at the progress their baby has made by her cooperation with Miss Winchell, our county nurse.

Anyone requiring the assistance or advice of our county nurse may reach her at the school house mornings between the hours of 8 and 9 a. m. Her home telephone number is 1204. Should she not be found at either of the above places, inquiry may be made of Mrs. Geo. McCullough, Mrs. John Speck or Mrs. Daisy Kraus.



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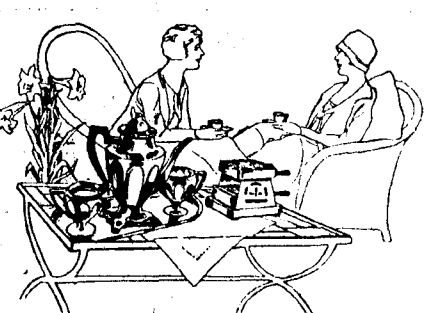


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Whenever you give, you like to be sure it is the best! Our Candy is all guaranteed.

Easter, April 17th, and Mothers' Day, May 8 will soon be here.

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GRAYLING, MICH.

## Local News

Take Nyal Laxacold for Flu and cold in the head. Central Drug Store. Apples, good cooking stock, while they last, at \$1.75 per bushel.

C. R. King.

Mrs. Laura Wallace has returned after a two weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. Quick of Detroit.

Glen Wilcox and Mrs. Gladys Rich have filed application for a marriage license.

Tamarack and Birch wood delivered, \$3.00 per cord. Leave orders at Geo. Sheldon's residence, opposite M. C. depot.

Easter novelties for the kiddies at the novelty sale and bake sale that will be held at Petersen's grocery, Saturday afternoon, April 16, by St. Mary's Altar society. All articles reasonably priced.

Mrs. Willis H. Ketzbeck arrived from Detroit Tuesday and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Dorrell.

We have a long list of satisfied customers of Grayling-made butter. Give it a trial and be one too. Grayling Creamery.

Mrs. N. Deckrow who has been visiting in Bay City, Flint and Fenton is now in Chicago where she will visit for some time.

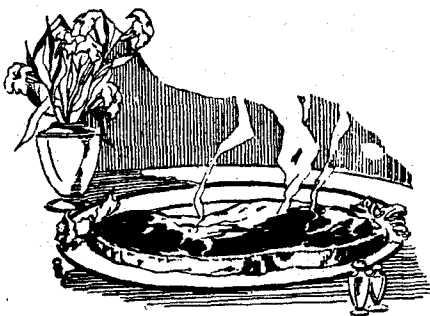
Henry Ahman is home from the University of Michigan visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ahman during the Easter vacation.

The County Board of Supervisors will convene Tuesday, April 19th, at the Court House for the spring session.

The opening dance at Beaver Creek hall given by Alton Brott was attended by a very large crowd and an enjoyable time was had by all.

Mrs. Edd Nichols and daughter Grace of Bay City visited over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Patterson of Frederic.

## HAM for Easter Breakfast



Smoke cured, juicy luscious Ham with fresh country eggs for breakfast Easter morning—a dish fit for anyone.

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## CRAWFORD AVALANCHE

O. P. SCHUMANN, Editor.



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THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 1937.

Take your Prescriptions to Central Drug Store.

St. Mary's Altar society will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the American Legion hall with Mrs. Sirrila, Mrs. David White and Mrs. Paul Lovelly as hostesses.

Mrs. Jess Sales arrived Monday from Detroit to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Nelson, coming owing to the illness of her mother, who is at Mercy hospital receiving treatment.

The Gaylord Band will give one of their pleasant concerts in the Gaylord city hall, Sunday afternoon, April 17. The concert, which is free, begins at 3:30 Eastern Standard time.

Dr. R. E. Goslow was the guest of honor at a surprise party in the church parlors Monday evening given by the members of the Epworth League. It was a very pleasant affair.

Peter Babbitt left Sunday for Two Heart station on Lake Superior, having re-enlisted in the U. S. coast guards. His brother Hubert accompanied him as far as Mackinaw by auto.

Special for Easter—Maple Nut Ice Cream, 50c per quart, at the Grayling Creamery.

William Sovereign, young son of O. E. Sovereign of Bay City during vacation week is enjoying making the weekly route with Mac McGillivray over the latter's territory through the north.

Misses Ingeborg and Agnes Hanson were home from Detroit over Sunday to attend the confirmation ceremonies at the Danish Lutheran church, their sister Anna being one of the class to be confirmed.

Try Grayling-made butter, supplied by your local creamery. Buy it at your grocers or at the Grayling Creamery.

Miss Coletta Smith returned yesterday from a few days visit in Grand Rapids, where she was the guest of Miss Anna Neilsen. Mrs. Ollie McLeod took her place in the M. C. ticket office during her absence.

Miss Helga Jorgenson, who has been spending the past couple of weeks here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson, returned to Detroit Tuesday, accompanied by Mr. Jack DeLine, who came to spend the week end as her guest.

The Eastern Star enjoyed a six o'clock supper Tuesday evening. Later Mrs. B. Ashenfelter, past matron, installed their new officers, after which four new members were initiated, Mrs. A. Clarke, Miss Hele Babbitt, Mr. P. Hendrie and Mr. D. Walt.

"Better Homes Week," the dates of which are May 2, 3 and 4, will be fittingly observed in Grayling under the direction of the Woman's club. For the three days the various merchants and dealers will have exhibits of the best in their line on display at the Godeffroy temple.

Mrs. T. W. Martin, mother of J. L. Martin arrived in Grayling Wednesday to visit her son and family for the remainder of the week. Mrs. Martin has been spending the past month visiting in Flint and Saginaw and on leaving Grayling will return to her home in St. Ignace.

Guy Peterson of Johannesburg returned Sunday morning from Detroit, where he had been for several days owing to Mrs. Peterson being at Harper hospital. Mrs. Peterson underwent an operation for virus infection Wednesday morning of last week and he left her getting along as well as could be expected.

Roy Brott of Tekonsha accompanied Rev. McDonald to Grayling Saturday and spent the week end with his brother Alton Brott and old friends. Other guests at the Brott home over the week end were Messrs. George Close and Euber Hewitt of Pontiac, guests of the Misses Calla Brott and Mildred Ostrander.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion will sponsor the sale this year of the poppies, that have always been sold by Grayling Post 106 in Grayling. This was decided at a recent business session of the Post and at the regular meeting of the Auxiliary Tuesday night definite plans were made for the sale.

Miss Gwendolyn Stone and Miss Nancy Anderson of Bay City were guests of the former's sister, Miss Belle Stone at Shoppenagon Inn over the week end. The latter, who has been in Grayling for a number of weeks recuperating her health will return to her home Friday. She will be accompanied by Miss Beatrice Cottle who will be her guest over Easter.

George Skingley has purchased the Harley Diltz place east of town, which will be known hereafter as the South Slope farm. George is anxious to try some alfalfa and keep some young cattle, starting at the bottom rung of the ladder and working up. Here is wishing him success. Mr. Skingley has been caretaker at the state game preserve at Lake Marquette and with his family will soon move to their new home.

For your entertainment on Friday evening, April 29th, at the Michelson Memorial church there will be a program equal to the best numbers of our town. The program will be given by William M. Donald, a Scotch tenor singer will furnish the music. C. J. Kruse will speak on "Fact, Philosophy and Fun Behind Prison Bars," which is a story of his three years' experience as chaplain at the Michigan State Reformatory at Ionia, and is just what its subject implies—the facts concerning our prisoners, the philosophy that underlies the crime situation, and the fun that is always found where people have a sense of humor, and prisoners have that, even in spite of their incarceration in a prison cell or dormitory. Tickets 50c and 35c on sale next week by Boy and Girl Scouts.

Alton Brott gave the first of a series of dancing parties at the Beaver Creek town hall Saturday evening. A large crowd attended.

Ed. Feldhauser and family of Maple Forest township left this morning for Minden, Michigan, where Mr. Feldhauser will have charge of a large stock farm.

Mrs. Dewey Palmer and children of Bay City are spending the week with relatives and friends here. Mr. Palmer accompanied them here, returning Sunday to Flint.

P. B. Lovejoy of the department of conservation was here Thursday of last week for the purpose of meeting with the several applicants for the position at the lake, lately held by George Skingley. Otto Failing was selected and will begin work this week. His home here on Maple street will be occupied by his sister, Mrs. Carl Babbitt and family.

Mac & Gidley's drug store have just put up some very attractive new border window signs. These are done on fabric and are the work of Waldemar Jensen in his usual excellent style. The backgrounds of show windows have also been redecorated in harmony with the new signs—blue and ivory white. The combination is certainly attractive.

Wm. Mosher is building a new cement business block on Norway street, opposite the M. C. freight depot. This, he says, will be used for a plumbing shop which he says he expects to have open about May 1st. He is also starting construction work on his new garage on the corner of Cedar and Osgood streets, which was formerly the Mary Knight property.

Once in a while a surprise is a surprise, and such was the case when about fifty friends of Chas. Corwin gathered at his home, Oak Grove farm, Saturday evening to help him remember he would have a birthday the following Tuesday. Miss Frances Jane Corwin, whose birthday was Sunday was also remembered when they were presented with a lovely double birthday cake. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Wheeler entertained a number of couples at their home Saturday evening, at an old-fashioned dancing party. Johnson's orchestra furnished the music and quadrilles took place in three rooms of the home. Many of those present said they hadn't had quite as much fun in a long time as they had had that evening. Lunch was served and Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler proved themselves royal hosts.

## TIFFIN GETS PRISON SENTENCE

MANY DIVORCES GRANTED IN CIRCUIT COURT.

Circuit Court for this county convened Tuesday at 1:00 p. m. Judge Guy Smith occupied the bench and was assisted by his stenographer, S. M. Atkins. The jury drawn for the term was as follows: Charles Golinck, Beaver Creek; Harold Leggett, Frederic; Lars Rasmussen, Grayling; Charles Miller, Lovells; Adolphus Delleire, Maple Forest; Augustus Funck, South Branch; John R. Skingley, Beaver Creek.

John Highlen, Frederic; Hans R. Nelson, Grayling; Joseph Duby, Lovells; Earl Marshall, Maple Forest; Ernest P. Richardson, South Branch; Henry Borchers, Beaver Creek; Ace Leng, Frederic; H. E. Parker, Grayling; Joseph Vance, Lovells.

Richard Babbitt, Maple Forest; Chester Lelene, South Branch; James M. Nowlin, Beaver Creek; Elias Armstrong, Frederic; David Knecht, Grayling; Alfred Nephew, Lovells; William Hunter, Maple Forest; Jesse T. Duffell, South Branch.

The cases on the calendar were disposed of as follows:

The People vs. Laudy Harrison, breaking and entering, dismissed on one year's probation, following plea of guilty.

The People vs. Charles Tiffin, breaking and entering, entered plea of guilty. He was sentenced to from 3 to 15 years at the reformatory at Ionia. He was taken to prison this morning by Deputy Philip Quigley, assisted by George N. Olson.

The People vs. Frank Millikin, rape. On motion of his counsel, E. M. Harris, the case was continued to the next term of court. Millikin was released on bonds.

The case of Hattie B. Mosher vs. Stella Archambeau, trespass on the case, was continued.

The cases of Charles Kuehl vs. Thomas E. Douglas, trespass on the case; South Branch Unit school district vs. Susan Funck, et al, bill to quiet title, and The American State Bank vs. James E. Kellogg, et al, foreclosure, were continued.

A decree in the matter of the petition of Oramel B. Fuller, auditor general, for the sale of certain lands for the taxes thereon for the year 1924 and previous years, will be granted next Monday, it is expected.

Decrees for divorce were granted in the following cases:

John Malco vs. Sarah J. Malco; Gladys M. Rich vs. Bertram M. Rich; Mary A. Heltzel vs. Martin V. Heltzel; Nellie M. Edwards vs. John S. Edwards; Benjamin H. Horton vs. Katie Horton.

Court was adjourned Wednesday noon and will re-convene next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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President Coolidge and President Hindenberg exchange greetings over the new trans-Atlantic cable but there is no report to the effect that their conversation was anything like that between the governors of North and South Carolina.

A booklet was sent over the telephone wires the other day under the tele-photo process. But that isn't so much. They have been sending money by wire for a long time.

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Excavators report the finding of a mysterious pool of oil under a business block in New York City. This was probably of the fuel variety and the by-product of a nearby still.

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## Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. Bailey, Co. Agricultural Agent



"I shall pass through this world but once. Any good thing that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any human being, let me do it now—for I shall not pass this way again."

### Shows What Can Be Done

On land that was classed as "run out," Theodore Leslie of Grayling township raised 220 bushels of merchantable potatoes per measured acre last year. It didn't "just happen." Mr. Leslie carefully selects his seed potatoes. He built up the soil. He used commercial fertilizers. He got three thrills out of the deal: he had the potatoes to sell; he had the joy and satisfaction of doing a neat, skillful job; his land not only yielded this fine crop of potatoes, but was brought back into the class of good farm land, where it will now stay.

No, improving this land did not "eat up all the profits." Mr. Leslie declares that it paid him to build his land up.

### Every Garden

Every garden in Grayling, every garden in Frederic, every garden on the farms of the county needs an application of acid phosphate this spring.

I have no selfish or financial motive for saying so. I say it because I believe it to be so.

The soils of our county are deficient in phosphoric acid. This is supplied by the bagged fertilizer known as acid phosphate. This is pulverized phosphate rock with sulphuric acid. It's cheap. Single bags cost the gardener only \$2.25 for a bag of 125 pounds.

No matter how well a garden in town or country may have been manured, it still needs acid phosphate, for stable manures seem to lack in acid phosphate.

It is a widespread practice among gardeners and good farmers to re-inforce stable manure with acid phosphate. It pays. In a season wet enough to properly dissolve the phosphate, the improvement in the crop that the phosphate was put in with pays back the cost of the phosphate. One peculiarity of acid phosphate is that its goodness is not all used up the first year. Some of its value remains in the soil for several years.

Crawford county farmers should use many times as much acid phosphate as they now use. It would pay for instance, the right way to prepare to get a good field of corn or potatoes is to manure a sod, or that crop of vetch and rye that you sowed for that purpose last fall.

After it is carefully plowed, rolled and dragged, apply at least 4 sacks of acid phosphate per acre, if for potatoes; 3 sacks, if for corn; more, if you have the courage, but not less than 4 and 3.

Have you kissed your money goodbye in doing this. Positively not. As said above, you get your money back in the improved corn or potato crop. The next year after corn or potato you logically follow with oats and clover, or oats and alfalfa, or oats and sweet clover. Because of the fertilizer you put on the corn or potatoes, there is a lot of the strength of it left in the soil. Because of this you get your money back in increased oat straw. You get it back in increased and plumper oats. You get it back again in next year's cut of hay. This is better than money in the bank.

### My Best Suggestion

Along with urging everyone of our farmers to sow green manure crops to be plowed under; to get into the alfalfa and sweet clover game; to keep a few good cows, my kindest and best suggestion of making a living from the soil is: use fertilizers; use the

right kind; use the right amount.

### Handful of Toothpicks

There's the trouble! Too many farmers will not use the proper amount of fertilizer per acre. They begrudge the cost. Then Nature begrudges the crop return. Just as by common experience we know how many oats to feed a hard working horse, so by experience, we know how much commercial fertilizer to use per acre. Just as you would not expect to boil the teakettle with only a handful of toothpicks as fuel so do not expect full or satisfactory returns from stingy little lots of fertilizer.

### The Least Amount

No matter how much good manure you have put on, no matter how good the soil you plowed under; use not less than:

For potatoes, 4 sacks per acre.  
For corn, 3 sacks per acre.  
For oats with clover, alfalfa and sweet clover following corn or potatoes, lime and 2 sacks per acre.  
For alfalfa, not following well prepared corn or potato ground, lime and 1 sack per acre.

### Trading Time for Money

By far the best way to apply commercial fertilizer is to have it cover the whole ground. It is not wasted, for when corn is knee high its roots fill the soil in all directions, and of course, the corn has a good chance to get plant food enough to make it grow good.

Same way with potatoes. Their roots soon fill the soil. When you follow fertilized corn or potatoes with oats and grass seed, of course plants of these will be all over the soil and will get plant food wherever it was broadcasted last year.

Yes, if a man is cramped for money, rather than not use fertilizer at all, he can use it as a "side dressing," and not use a quarter as much as if he broadcasted the fertilizer. He can put fertilizer in a "stab" corn planter and walk along one side of a field of corn or potatoes and stab the planter in about 5 inches from potatoes and 6 inches from corn, leaving about a tablespoon of fertilizer. When he gets to the end of the row he can turn around and come back on the other side of the row in the same way.

### Caution

Please let it be remembered that crops following fertilizer so applied will be "spotted." They will be better in spots instead of a uniform improvement.

### Away She Goes

We must positively send out the order for the car of fertilizer about the time you read this. Some people, both in town and country, are not going to be able to get their fertilizer because there will not be any for them, because they did not attend to ordering, after all the "hollering" we have done about it. There will be another year lost. Another poor garden. Another sad little corn or potato crop!

Straight acid phosphate will cost our farmers \$29.60 a ton at car door in Grayling. Higher, if we have to put into the warehouse.

The formula for acid phosphate fertilizer is 0-16-0.

The next step beyond straight acid phosphate is the 2-16-8 formula. It means 2 part of nitrogen and 8 parts of potash added to the acid phosphate. It costs \$50 a ton at car door. The added nitrogen gives all young plants (alfalfa, oats, corn, potatoes, soy beans) a quick start. The 8 parts of potash have been found to be something that potatoes, corn, grain, clover, alfalfa, seem to need to do their best. There is a lot of potash

abstraction among these crops. We expect that there will be a few brave spirits in the county who will use the 2-16-8. They will be doing themselves a kindness. Use same number of sacks per acre as stated above for phosphate.

### Clear as a Bell

We think that in the above statements we have said enough for the practical use of our average Crawford county farmers. We have not talked gibberish. We have tried to make clear, simple statements. Followed, what has been said, will start the user on the road to better things on the farm.

For the onion grown on average gravelly farm land, the 0-10-10 fertilizer is the thing.

For anyone having muck soil or river bottom land here, the fertilizer must be heavy in potash. So the formula is 0-8-24, which means that no nitrogen need be applied because muck soils are generally already rich in nitrogen. The 8 means acid phosphate. The 24 means a heavy application of potash, which is what muck soils generally need a lot of.

### Laws

The many laws that need feeding, need ammonium sulphate put on when grass is bone dry.

Some need some lime besides this. The county agents will be glad to give prompt suggestions in case brought to his attention, in town or country.

Fertilizers make crops larger. Fertilizers help ripen crops ahead of frost.

## Legislative Letter

Michigan Press Association, Lansing  
By Len W. Feighner

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Gaunt spectres of the dead past stalked in the halls of the Senate this week, when spiritualistic mediums brought to vision the ghost of the capital punishment measure, dead and buried two weeks ago.

Like that of Banquo, "It will not down."

Recent gang killings in Detroit have created so much agitation and so much condemnation of the four recalcitrant senators who bottled up the Armstrong bill and refused to bring it out, that the Senate is again agitating the question, and it is altogether likely that unless the committee relents and reports out the Armstrong bill, a new bill will be introduced in the Senate. Proponents of capital punishment in the Senate are making a determined stand on this matter, and it is said that there are some of the opponents of the measure who believe that it should at least be brought to the vote.

It is believed that Senator Jankowski of Detroit, one of the four who held up the bill, will agree to vote in favor of reporting it out with the understanding that the bill will be amended in the Senate to apply only to those who kill while committing a hold-up or while committing a crime of violence, although it is a question if this would apply to the run-running warriors who try to kill off rival gangs with machine guns.

Thursday afternoon's session of the House was given over almost entirely to a somewhat heated debate on the workmen's compensation increase and the bill was finally passed on general order next Wednesday at 2:30. The maximum amount under the bill is fixed at \$18.00 per week, and this is practically the only change from the present law.

A compromise was effected finally in the House on the tuberculosis hospital and sanitarium proposition, which has been a bone of contention all during the session. The compromise provides for the improvement and maintenance of the present hospital at Howell and also for the construction of one at Ann Arbor. Each institution was given half of the half-million appropriation voted at the 1937 session, and each is to make possible going ahead with the work on both institutions, both of which are so badly needed.

Appropriation bills are being reported out in the House in liberal numbers, but are being unmercifully slashed in most cases. Neither of the U. of M. or State College bills are as yet out of committee, but they are expected out next week, which will likely see most of the appropriation bills considered. When these are out of the way there is a possibility of rapid action to close the work of the session.

A bill raising the salaries of circuit judges \$2,500 per year has been reported out, after various amendments were proposed and considered.

There was a lively row in the House Tuesday afternoon when the Senate bill making appropriations for the legislature for this year and the next one made its appearance. Representative Milton R. Palmer of Detroit offered an amendment providing that from and after January 1, 1939, each member of the legislature shall receive \$5 per day for expenses. The amendment passed by a vote of 76-18, after a wordy battle. The bill now goes back to the Senate for concurrence in the amendment. Predictions are about 60-50 as to whether the Senate will concur. It is an undoubted fact that the present salary of \$800 for the two-year term, the present pay of the members, will not pay their legitimate expenses during the sessions, but the voters of the state turned down a proposition last fall to raise the salary, and some of the members voiced the sentiment that they ought not to take this method of getting more money.

The Senate Thursday so amended the House bill to allow senators and representatives \$5 per day expense money that it will apply only when members are present in Lansing or outside on committee work, and the bill was referred to the finance committee. It is said that the House bill, after passing, although the attorney general has given an opinion that it cannot lawfully be done.

Another bill that passed the House after a strenuous scrap was the Wm. J. Thomas bill to oust the present tax commissioners by calling the tax department a "Tax Commission." Back of the bill, no sane man could be administration leader or so accredited, is a proposition to have a commission that will take a trifling matter of five hundred millions assessment back to Wayne county, which it is claimed was picked off by the present commis-

sion. The Wayne delegation put up a bitter fight against the bill, but it passed 68 to 30. Following the vote, Representative Robert Wardell of Wayne rose to explain his vote and in so doing read a letter from Attorney General Wm. J. Potter to the effect that what could not legally hold the position of representative in the legislature and the position of superintendent of the poor at the same time. As Mr. Thomas is superintendent of the poor in Kent county, Mr. Wardell claims that he is not properly a member of the House. At any rate, the bill now goes to the Senate, where its passage is freely predicted.

The state will undoubtedly vote next year on an amendment to the constitution which will remove the office of the superintendent of public instruction from politics making the office an appointive one by the state board of education. The present resolution providing for a vote on the question passed the Senate with but one negative vote and will in all probability also pass the House. The proposition includes increasing the state board of education to seven members and authorizing the board to elect the superintendent for a term of six years. The resolution was fathered by Senator Thomas Read of Shelby.

Senator Herbert Rushton of Escanaba has introduced a bill authorizing the state highway commissioner to arrange with the Wisconsin authorities to build a bridge between Menominee and Marinette, Wisconsin. He also introduced a bill providing that probate judges shall have been admitted to the bar.

The Senate passed three House bills Monday afternoon which now go to the Governor. One provides for a larger fee from counties wishing to send prisoners to the state house of correction, one changes the time of the annual school census to May instead of March and the other provides for a fee of \$1.00 per year for using the state employment bureau.

More and better country schools and \$2,000,000 more in taxes will be the result of a bill which passed the House Wednesday, if the Senate concurs. The bill was introduced by Representative Wm. F. Turner of Morley, and provides that \$2,000,000 be taken from the corporation tax receipts and given to the poorer districts of the state. The bill was severely criticized by Representative Oliver C. Wayne, but there were but three adverse votes.

The Senate, which has permitted the House to do most of the verbal scrapping of the past two weeks, got into the game itself Wednesday over a motion by Senator Jankowski that the House suspend the rules and pass a sentence of not less than one year in jail for run running or bootlegging be asked back from the House for reconsideration. Senators Lennox, Howell, Jankowski and Woodruff told each other a lot of things, some of which might be true, and the latter averred that all the newspapers of the state were making fun of the House over the bill. The vote on the motion was a tie at fifteen each and the bill stays in the House, where it is temporarily, possibly permanently, in committee.

A committee from the Senate and the House was sent to Grand Rapids today to inquire into conditions at the Soldiers' Home. Following a report submitted by Assistant Attorney General Kit Clardy that things had been going very badly there.

The long-expected criminal laws codification came out of the judiciary committee of the House Wednesday, with the recommendation that it be passed. The bill was amended in many ways in the committee, and will likely provoke much discussion before it is passed.

The Senate held a lengthy session Wednesday afternoon, passing fifteen bills, only three of which were House measures. Of these three, one was a highway traffic bill, and the other two were "dead bills" providing for payment for stock and poultry killed by dogs.

Up to date 431 bills have been introduced in the House and more than 300 in the Senate. While a few bills have been passed by both houses, the great majority of these more than 700 bills are still in committee in one branch or the other. When they come to pile out on the floor, there will be plenty to do in both branches, although it is likely that many of the bills will be pigeon-holed by various committees.

Adjournment was taken Friday morning until Tuesday afternoon, when it is expected the session will commence to fly in real earnest.

"Daylight Government," promised by Governor Green in his campaign talks, evidently meant just what he said it would, even if the truth hurts the pockets of the taxpayers.

In a message which he personally delivered to the legislature Tuesday afternoon he made the startling disclosure that Michigan at the present time is in a deficit of \$3,300,000 in round numbers, or had on January 1 of this year, and that this will undoubtedly reach the amount of over five millions by June 30.

His figures are taken from the report filed by Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co., accountants who have been auditing the books since the beginning of the year. This deficit is in the general fund of the state, and is outside of the state highway fund, a report on which is expected in the near future. He reported that the highway department informed him that obligations of that fund, past due and payable, amounted to \$5,151,146.91 on January 1.

The highway department estimates receipts and disbursements for the years 1927 and 1928 as follows: receipts, \$32,986,221.05; disbursements, \$26,458,937.74; which will leave but \$6,527,283.31 for new contracts for 1927 and 1928.

The statements do not take into consideration reports which have previously been made in regard to Jackson prison, the Chelsea cement plant, and other state matters said to be in bad shape financially.

It is apparent that this deficiency is not a thing of sudden growth, but that it is an accumulation of several years. It is said that the state general tax should have been raised to \$21,000,000 several years ago, instead of the \$17,800,000 which has been collected, and that the state's purse has been going dry for some time, until something must be done to raise the funds required to take care of the state's institutions and other financial requirements.

It is now proposed to raise the state general tax to \$22,000,000, and Governor Green states that the natural increase in assessed valuation will nearly if not quite take care of this additional amount, with but little if

any increase in the normal tax rate. It is the Governor's idea, too, that the state should have an efficiency expert on the job all the time, to get posted and keep posted on the multitudinous needs of the various state institutions and to make recommendations in regard to the buildings, alterations and other state matters which are now more or less mixed authority. This proposition of a state "business manager" has found several friends about the state house who are studying the proposition carefully.

Appropriation bills which are passing the Senate numbers this week are being pared down as much as seems possible, but it will be impossible to take enough away to make any appreciable difference in the big deficit without seriously impairing the growth and efficiency of the state humanitarian and educational institutions.

The Senate passed a number of appropriation bills Thursday, among them being one of \$3,500,000 for the new prison at Jackson for the building program of the next two years. It is estimated that this will complete sufficient of the new cell blocks to care for about 4,000 prisoners.

The proposed appropriation for the new U. P. state fair at Escanaba was cut by the Senate finance committee to \$25,000, instead of \$50,000, but has not yet been acted upon.

The state fair at Detroit gets \$75,000 per year for the next two years for premiums, according to a bill which passed the Senate. Senator Quinlan also introduced a bill appropriating \$75,000 for new buildings and other improvements at the state fair grounds at Detroit.

A number of other regulation appropriation bills were passed by the Senate, among them those providing for the expenses of the state administrative board, the various state departments, the highway commission employees, etc.

The proposed new criminal code was passed by the House Thursday afternoon, following the reading of a message from Governor Green urging its passage. A number of amendments had been made by the judiciary committee, and these are approved and the code passed with but four negative votes. It is freely predicted that the Senate will also pass the code next week.

The Senate will undoubtedly have the death penalty bill to consider next week. The judiciary committee, which has held it up despite all opposition, has about decided to report it out, but absence of members of the committee from some of its sessions have persistently held it up.

Bandits and thugs got a bad scare when the House, on motion of Representative Charles Culver, tacked whipping post amendments on the Rushton and Watson Senate bills, whereby the sentence for a first offense would be provided "10 to 30 lashes on the bare back, well laid on," as an addition to the prison penalty. The bills passed the House 89 to 2, but the Senate on Thursday declined to concur in the amendments, and the bills will likely now go to a conference committee.

The Senate Wednesday afternoon passed a bill, a special order for Wednesday afternoon at 2:30, provided the House a vehicle for a spectacular scrap and the opportunity was utilized to the full. The hall of representatives was as full of argument as the Sapiro-Ford slander case, and as full of invective as a toy balloon is of wind.

The bill was passed, providing for an \$18.00 compensation, the vote 81 to 12, but several of those who voted against it took a final slap at it in explaining their vote. The bill now goes to the Senate. Thus ended the battle in the House between the forces of the administration and the forces of the opposition. The Michigan Manufacturers' Association, the first skirmish of which was won by Governor Green when lobbyists were barred from the floors of both chambers, early in the session. The dozen representatives who voted against the increase in compensation were E. D. Skeels of Whitehall, V. W. of Battle Creek, Dr. James Upjohn of Kalamazoo, W. J. Deshano of Bay, J. R. Clement of Albion, Charles Culver, Robert Wardell, William Hart, Milton R. Palmer, Conrad J. Netting, James L. Johnson and William Walters of Wayne county.

Predictions of many of the dopest were upset Tuesday afternoon when the Senate, by a vote of 19 to 6, joined in the House proposition to vote themselves \$5 per day "expense" money, with the provisions that members must actually be in attendance or out on committee work in order to drag down the "expense" money. The measure is presently in the beginning of the present session. The attorney general's office questions the legality of the proposition and Auditor General Fuller says he will not honor vouchers for the increased pay until the supreme court orders it. This brings out threats of a bill to remove the auditor general from the state administrative board and substitute the lieutenant governor. Perhaps that will scare Mr. Fuller into paying the vouchers; maybe not.

Senator George Leland has introduced a bill, purporting to be a compromise measure to substitute for dozens of other highway measures a single measure providing for a 3-cent gas tax and an equal division with the counties of the weight tax.

The Lennor bill requiring the A. T. & T. Co. to disclose the contract under which they collect four per cent of the public utilities commission, passed the Senate Wednesday.

Senator Quinlan has in a bill compelling owners of automobiles to carry insurance sufficient to indemnify against accidents, to file a surety bond, or to file with the secretary of state a satisfactory statement of financial responsibility, and this must be done before registration is permissible.

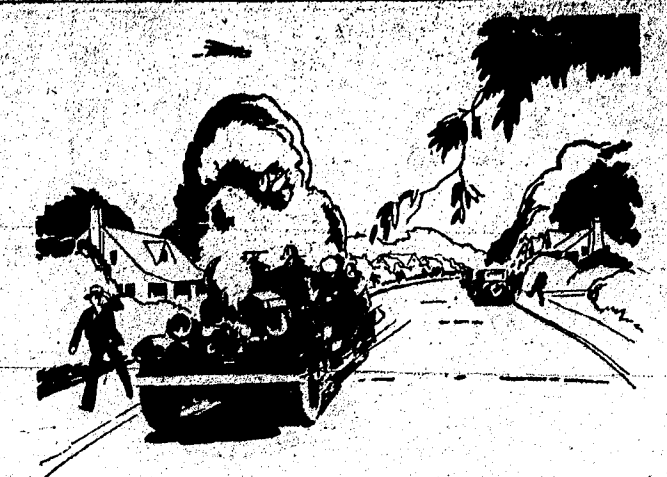
The Callahan bill which has now passed both houses provides a penalty of 10 years in state prison for illegally driving away a motor car.

The investigating committee on the Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids took up their work Friday, having been granted leave of absence for that purpose. The committee consists of Senators Lennor, Karcher and Bahrak, and Representatives Snow, Hamley, Jahnke, Musson and Wade.

The Boyle bill to shorten the time for foreclosure of mortgages from one year, the present law, to nine months, was defeated in the House Thursday.

Representative Main of Battle Creek offered an amendment to cut the time to six months, but this amendment was ditched before the bill came to the floor.

Leigh J. Young, the new director of conservation, says the department will ask for an increase of \$800,000 in its



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### MAKING MICHIGAN DRY

What is evidently an attempt to discourage rum running, once the bars are let down under the new liquor law in Canada, which goes into effect some time in May, is seen in the Lennor bill which has already passed the senate and now reposes in the house of representatives at Lansing with more than an even chance of being enacted into a law. The proposed measure makes it mandatory upon judges to impose a minimum sentence of \$500 fine and imprisonment in prison for one year of all persons convicted of selling, bartering, importing or transporting liquor for sale. It is the most drastic dry law yet before attempted and the support of the ardent dry who fear a deluge of forbidden goods once our neighbor across the river becomes liberalized. Home brewers will not be molested under the provisions of the Lennor bill, both the drys and the wets agreeing that the householder is well within his rights under the present liquor laws if he manufactures liquor for purely home consumption.

### MICHIGAN CAMP DIRECTORS ORGANIZE

Directors of boys' and girls' camps of Michigan recently met in Detroit and formed the Michigan division of the National Camp Directors Association. The purpose of the parent association is to promote camps which come up to a rigid standard. Officers will be elected at another meeting to be held this month in April at Ann Arbor.

Michigan has made rapid progress in the last decade as a home for boys' and girls' camps of high grade. The first camp was established in 1903. The U. S. Bureau of Public Health recently pronounced Michigan to be the second most healthful state in the Union for summer camps.

With the development of camps in Michigan, it is no longer necessary for parents to send their boys and girls to camps in distant states. The National Association makes regular inspections of camps for the purpose of raising the standards and only camps which pass the rigid tests of the inspectors are recommended to parents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Husted of Grayling spent Sunday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Clarence Stillwagon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kennedy and daughter Joan, Mrs. E. McCormick and Emmet Pierce of Lewiston and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dimick of Vanderbilt attended the party at the home of Mrs. T. E. Douglas Saturday evening.

Mrs. Tom Griswold and daughter Virginia and Maxine of Bay City are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Roger Caid.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Doby and nephew Ray were in Lewiston Sunday.

Miss Margaret Douglas who is teaching school at West Branch spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. T. E. Douglas. She was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. J. Husted. Howard Hoffman went to Atlanta Saturday night.

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Doctor Orders Vinol  
For Nervous Woman

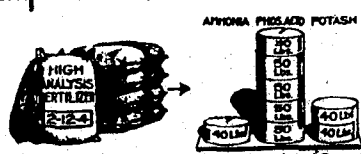
"I was weak, nervous and anemic. Could hardly walk. My doctor ordered Vinol, and I feel 100 per cent better."—Mrs. H. Willis. For over 25 years, this simple, strengthening iron and cod liver compound has been prescribed for weak, nervous women and men and frail children. The very FIRST week you take Vinol, you begin to feel stronger, eat and sleep better. Contains no oil—you'll like its taste. Mac & Gidley, druggists. 4

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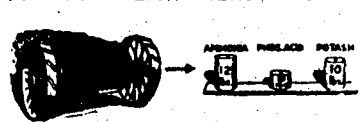
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Fertilizer provides the same kind of plantfood as manure

One Ton Average Farm Manure Contains



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The REXALL STORE

## LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 1927.

Leland Shipp of Gaylord was a Grayling caller today.

New Victor Records every Friday Central Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson were in Detroit a couple of days this week.

W. H. Franzen of Chicago is visiting his father-in-law, John Brockman and family.

Miss Ruth McNeven is assisting at the Earl Nelson service station as bookkeeper.

Dr. R. E. Goslow left for Detroit Monday night, expecting to be gone for several weeks.

Get the kiddies' Easter novelties at the novelty sale at Petersen's grocery Saturday afternoon.

Home made pies, cakes, cookies, fried cakes, everything in the baked line, at the bake sale to be given Saturday afternoon at Petersen's grocery. Prices reasonable.

Try drinking buttermilk every day. It is a health-giving beverage.

Grayling Creamery.

Order a daily supply of fresh buttermilk. It has many uses.

Grayling Creamery.

Whitman's Candy and Lambert's Chocolates. Direct from factories, always fresh at Central Drug Store.

Mrs. Oscar Hanson and family are enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Roy Bricker of Cass City.

Mrs. J. C. Burton left Wednesday for a couple of weeks visit in Coldwater, and with her daughter, Mrs. Harry E. Simpson of Monroe.

Miss Kristine Salling is home from her school at Alma for the spring vacation, visiting her mother, Mrs. Victor Salling.

Henry Uhlendorf passed away at the county infirmary this morning, after being ill for some time with paralysis.

Howard Peterson left by auto for Ann Arbor yesterday afternoon to accompany Mrs. Signa Rasmussen and daughter Ellen Mae, home.

Mrs. Henry Feldhauser returned home Monday from a pleasant two weeks visit with her son William Feldhauser and wife of Ann Arbor.

Don't forget we have fresh buttermilk on hand at all times. Healthful as a beverage and excellent for baking. Try some.

Grayling Creamery.

There will be special Easter exercises at the South Side church Friday evening, April 15th. There will be speaking and singing of Easter songs, etc. Everyone cordially invited.

Marius Hanson and John Bruun are in Lansing this week on business for Salling Hanson Company.

We will have some roast chickens for sale Saturday afternoon at our bake sale. St. Mary's Altar Society.

Developing, Printing and Enlarging. Quick service and good work. Central Drug Store.

Buy World's Star underwear and hosiery for infants, children and grownups. Mrs. James McDonnell, local representative. Phone 1522.

We can now supply you with ice cream. As we had so much demand for it we decided to begin making it earlier than at first planned.

Grayling Creamery.

A. E. Michelson, F. L. Michelson, O. S. Hawes and F. C. Burden of Detroit and E. J. Cornwell of Saginaw arrived in Grayling yesterday to attend the monthly meeting of the directors of the various lumber companies.

George Burke is remodeling his Cedar street gas station, making it much more accessible. It is closed while this work is going on, but will be reopened in a couple of days. Charles Fehr is doing the work.

The John Huber market has just finished decorating and is looking spic and span. Mr. Huber says he is trying to conduct a first class market and sells the best quality of meats that he can buy.

Ben Landsberg and daughter Lillian returned home Tuesday from Detroit, where they had been for ten days. Ben left his mother feeling some better, having taken her to Ann Arbor for consultation.

Mrs. Marius Hanson was hostess to the ladies of her bridge club at a luncheon at Shoppenagon Inn Saturday afternoon. Easter decorations were carried out together with spring flowers. Four tables were filled for the game at her home. Mrs. Robert Reagan holding the high score.

"Forestation Week" will be observed by the Good Fellowship club. Trees will be replaced which have not withstood the past winter and were planted by the club a year ago. They will also set out spirea at the county infirmary.

Misses Annabelle and Helen Neilson of East Tawas are spending the spring vacation here, guests of their sister, Mrs. Will J. Heric. Sunday, Mrs. Heric enjoyed a visit from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Neilson, who accompanied the young ladies here.

Mrs. Joseph Conway and four children of Bay City and Miss Adele Gorman of Muskegon are spending the week here visiting their mother, Mrs. Morris Gorman Sr., who is a patient at Mercy hospital.

Clarence Dixon and William Dixon and their families drove to Gaylord Sunday and spent the day visiting Mrs. Clarence Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bouchard. The men of the party also visited the Saunders resort that is being built 14 miles northeast of Gaylord.

The members of Portage Lodge K. of P. enjoyed a very pleasant evening Wednesday night when Past Chancellor Roy O. Milnes was presented with a past chancellor jewel. There was a fairly good attendance. A banquet and smokes finished up a very pleasant evening.

The old-fashioned man who used to put his fourteen-year-old son on the train for a twenty-mile journey and tell the conductor to take good care of him, now has a grandson of the same age who can drive the distance in twenty-three minutes.



"Take a Picture Week" is a good time for you to get started with your Kodak—get started right by loading with yellow-box Kodak Film.

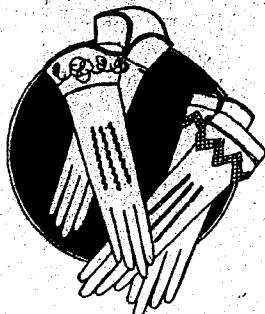
When you've exposed your film bring it to us for highest quality photo finishing.

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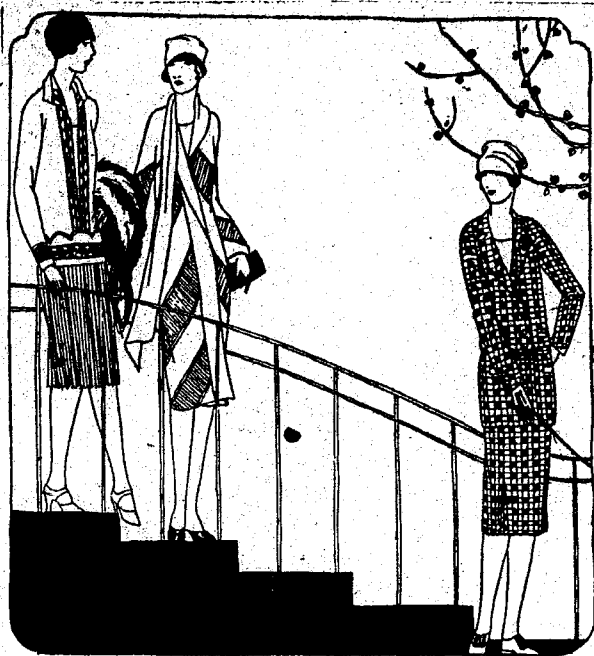
# An Easter Display of the Newest Spring Fashions

## Smart Street and Dress Gloves



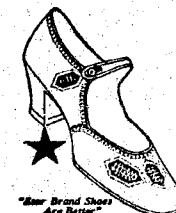
Why wear ordinary Gloves when you may come here and select from the latest fashions. Gloves especially designed to harmonize with the new modes for spring and Easter wear?

Kayser Silk—\$1.50



## FOR THE Easter Wardrobe

—Shoes



If you want your feet to appear well shod for Easter, and what woman does not, we urge you to see this special Easter showing of late models. Quality and price are here in satisfying proportions.

\$3.00 to \$7.50

## COATS for Easter

A collection of the newest COAT models for Easter wear. You will enjoy seeing and trying on these attractive COATS.

\$12.75 to \$39.50

## MILLINERY for Easter

Especially smart and becoming are the new HATS we have arranged for our Easter display. Take the time today to see them.

\$5.00

## DRESSES for Easter

To tell you all about these wonderful Easter DRESSES would be impossible. But we do know that you will see many to please you.

\$10.95 to \$15 and up

# Easter Togs for Men

Men and Young Men who wish to be dressed stylishly, comfortably and economically for Easter will find this store the one best place to come for their needs. Our entire stock teems with extra values in all wanted items.

## Light Weight OVERCOATS \$22.50

Splendidly tailored OVERCOATS, are these, and you may choose from a varied assortment of the season's favorite materials.

## Spring and Summer Suits

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## SHIRTS and TIES

In a big Easter display

In unique combinations of colors and patterns offered you will find ample opportunity to satisfy your own individual taste in SHIRTS and TIES for the new season.



\$5.00

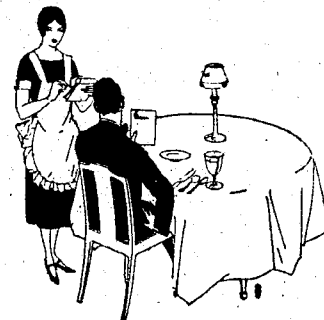
for a New Spring Hat

When you see the display of Hats that we are offering at this very reasonable price, you will be more than glad you came here to buy.

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# Dine With Us Easter



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We deliver Flowers to any city in the world by telegraph. Remember your friends abroad for Easter Day.

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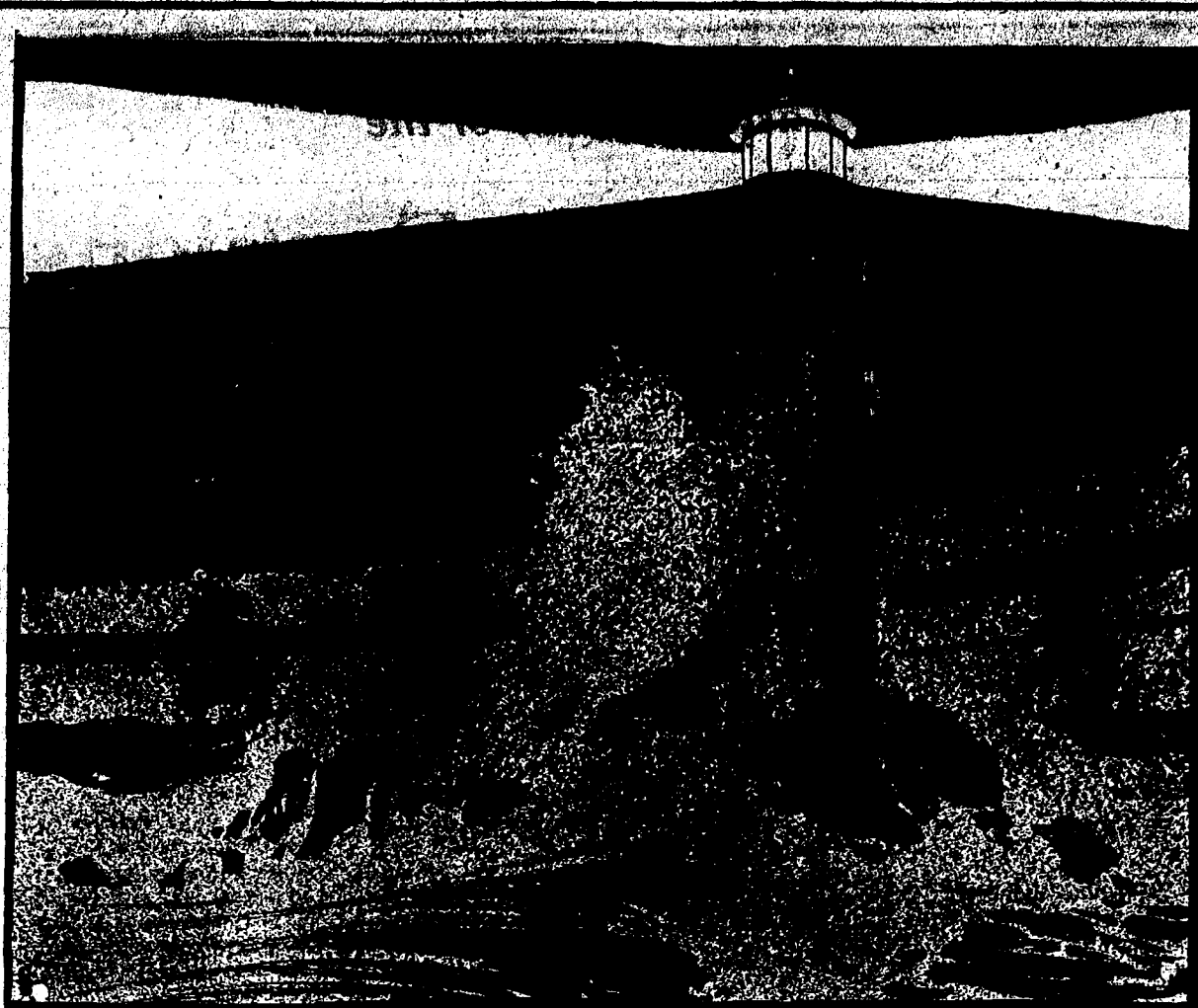
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The Quality Store

Grayling, Michigan

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## Lighting the Way To a Better Community

Each deed we do, each action of our daily lives exerts a definite influence on the life of this community. Thus our acts may serve as a beacon light, sending forth into the world, rays that will aid in guiding into this community ships loaded with the good things of every port.

Be a booster for our own home town. Herald to the world the many advantages to be gained through living here. Then will we all be doing our part toward making this a better community in which to live.

## Grayling Board of Trade

Officers: W. W. Lewis, Pres.  
C. J. McNamara, V. Pres.  
B. E. Smith, Sec'y-Treas.

TO THE VACATIONIST:—Crawford County, the "Heart of Michigan," has the highest altitude in the lower peninsula. The light, dry air of this region gives it climatic comfort that is not excelled anywhere. Bright days are followed by cool, comfortable nights during the warmest part of the year. The drinking water here too is pure and delicious. Many people have come here for health and have found it.

The famous AuSable river with its wonderful tributaries—the North and the South branches—offer the trout fisherman everything he could hope for. These streams have attracted thousands to their waters. Every state in the Union has been represented and many ardent trout fishermen from foreign shores have come here to enjoy that sport.

To those who like the lakes, we offer many good ones. Lake Margrethe, (formerly Portage Lake) has a most remarkable bathing beach. The water is clear as crystal and is pure and clean for bathing. Here too is good fishing. Thousands of great northern pike, bass and perch are taken annually from its waters. Three to six pound bass and five to twenty pound pike are not rare catches. Fishing is worth while here. And there are scores of other lakes in Crawford county among which are many good ones. Cottage accommodations may be obtained by writing the Grayling Board of Trade. Those wishing to use tents will find many desirable locations. Prepare for your summer vacation now.

### BASEBALL SEASON OPENS

The long looked for 1937 baseball season opened Tuesday. The Detroit Tigers in whom Grayling people are greatly interested, were to open with St. Louis at the latter city, but rain and wet grounds prevented and thousands of the loyal fans of both teams were disappointed.

There is much speculation as to the prospects of the Tigers, hope being pinned upon the new manager, Moriarty. To say the least, there seems to be perfect harmony among the players, and that helps a lot. Discussion among organizations brings about weakness and is costly to all concerned. This applies to baseball teams as well as other organizations. And there is the great quartet of sluggers—Heilman, Manush, Fothergill and Traverser. They will surely mean trouble for any pitcher. And the Tigers' slab artists too appear to be ready to give a good account of themselves.

For several weeks past the major league teams have been going thru a training process in the south where the touted stars and favorites have "strutted their stuff" before admiring fans. In telling of the "Mighty Babe" at St. Petersburg, the Chaboygan Democrat in their last week's edition printed the following:

The great and only G. Herman Ruth, King of the Swat, has been en-

tertaining the fans of St. Petersburg the past two weeks with the sight of his husky self and far-famed swing. The Babe is dear to the hearts of the fans, so that no matter what he does they feel a very personal interest. Whenever he appeared, the crowd hurrahed with glee. When he grounded out they were disgusted, when he struck out they shouted uncomplimentary remarks about his salary and ability, and when he walked they grumbled and all but demanded their money back. An extraordinary good hit is not enough from Babe, nothing but a home run will satisfy. Since he was handicapped by the carliness of the season and a game leg among other things, he naturally wasn't up to par, which gave the fans the opportunity of shaking their heads sagely and deciding Babe not so good after all. In a game between the Yanks and the Cincinnati, much ado was caused by the pitcher being hit by a ball. Amid the excitement, someone ran out with a glass of water. The umpire snatched the water and drank it down, whereupon the injured pitcher immediately seemed to feel better, and the game was resumed.

The German girl selected to come to the United States to represent her country in the international beauty contest has long hair. She won't have a chance if there are any barbers on the jury.

### FLORIST BUSINESS EASY JOB?

What makes a man enter the florist business? And how does he keep busy after he's in it?

It didn't look like a man-sized business either until I asked a friend at a luncheon club. How did he put in his time between funerals and weddings? And by the way, which did he prefer—a bang-up good funeral or a dresy and stylish wedding?

"Funerals" mean more flowers," he said smilingly. "A wedding only represents a bunch for the bride and maybe one for each bridesmaid, but a funeral may bring enough flowers to wall in a whole room. However, we have considerable in-between business right along. More people buy flowers for birthdays and dances. It's not unusual either for a dinner guest to send a dozen flowers to the hostess before he gets there."

Nearly every day, the florist said, he must manage to sell out. Cut flowers will hold up one day, maybe even two days, but after that they begin to show age. One reason for the spreading fondness for chrysanthemums is that they will hold up for more than a week. "Mums" are easily grown, and every florist who has even a small amount of "glass" or hot-house space raises some "mums."

Then why are they so high? Why charge \$6, \$8 or \$10 a dozen when you can raise them yourself? The

answer lies in their size. Buds are trimmed off until each plant produces only one "mum." Of course, this raises the cost.

Roses and carnations and other flowers, it seems, require too much glass and are chiefly in specialized centers. This florist obtained his roses from Chicago. "I can wire Chicago this afternoon and have 500 roses shipped by express at 6:30 to-night, and tomorrow morning at 4:00 they'll be here," he said. "Furthermore," he added, "many's the holiday I've been down at the railroad station at 4:00 to get them, too!"

Contrary to general belief, Mother's Day, with its epidemic of white carnation sales, is not welcomed by a retail florist. The growers overcharge him for flowers on that day, he claims. They send him carnations cut two days before and accumulated until sale time. Some flowers have to be sold below cost. But the public thinks it's all profit for the florist.

### A FORECAST

By William McMahon of New York Institute of Financial Research, Inc.

As we are nearly over the first quarter of the year, there is no reason why we could not approximate fairly accurate gauge as to conditions for the rest of the year. It is well within the bounds of safety to predict that there will be no drastic let-

up in general lines of business, no depression, no money or credit stringency.

So far as security markets are concerned, there will be no prolonged bear market and no extended bull market. The movements will be broadly upward and as broadly downward, one which Wall street characterizes as a trading market.

The rubber industry has enjoyed a season of prosperity and the rubber stocks a corresponding flurry of favor. This will last in a moderate degree for the rest of the spring or until the edge of summer. Motor shares are entitled to their peak now or during April and May, after which there is liable to ensue a mild recession.

Steel should remain firm all thru the year, as the railroads will buy rails and no marked decline is forecasted for construction, besides, our steel exports will gain.

Chain store stocks will go fractionally and steadily higher throughout the year, as sales increase, although we expect a falling off of mail order sales and decline in profits.

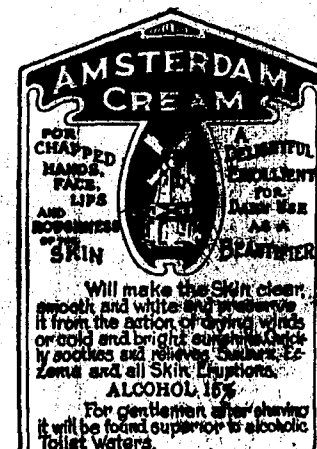
The rails will continue on an even keel while equipment companies probably will be able to show more profitable earnings reports.

With copper production declining and prices stiffening, some of the copper issues could be safely bought at the present time. Select those in sound financial positions and with low production costs, such as Chile, Kennecott, Anaconda and Cerro de Pasco.

The oils have disappointed many who bought them on brokers' recommendations, but found them disinclined to move in the desired direction. Crude production was heavy, coming at a time of year when consumption was at its lightest. With the thorough opening of spring, consumption will more than keep pace with production, and the fact will be reflected on general advances among the petroleum shares.

Among the specialties, discretion must be used in the matter of selection. In making your choice based upon your analyses, consider the past records of companies less than the present status of each, with respect to earnings, capital position and management. Then consider the outlook.

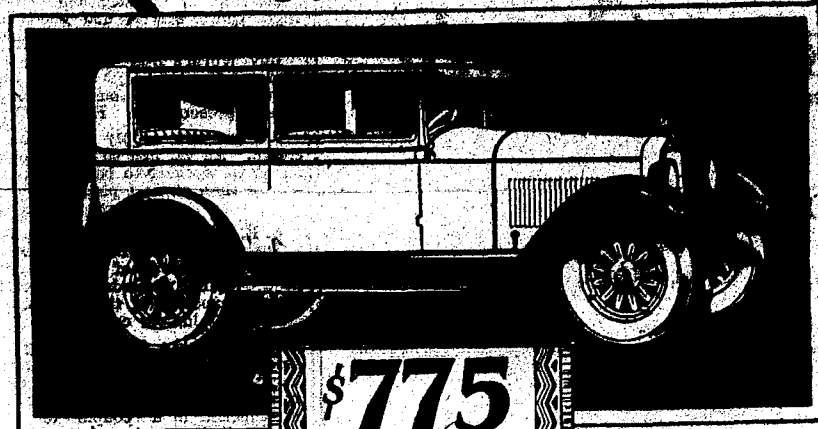
Speaking of having a tug of war when Greek meets Greek; the same thing happens in the Senate when Reed meets Reed.



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